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Laws Affecting Franchise Tax Board: Government Code Sections 11340.85, 11343, 11346.2, and 11346.5.

Date Filed with the Secretary of the State: September 6, 2002

SUBJECT: Administrative Procedures/Required Information Regarding State Agency Regulations
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Assembly Bill 1857 (Wayne), as enacted on September 6, 2002, made the following changes to California law:

Section 11340.85 of the Government Code is amended.

This act requires that a document must be posted on an agency's website within a reasonable time after its issuance. The document must remain posted for at least 15 days after either the rulemaking action is filed with the Secretary of State or the notice of a decision not to proceed is published in the California Regulatory Notice Register.

Section 11343 of the Government Code is amended.

This act made technical changes to the certification requirement by the head of a state agency or by a designee of the agency head.

Section 11346.2 of the Government Code is amended.

This act requires that a state agency provide bases for rejecting alternatives that would lessen any adverse impact on small business in its requisite initial statement of reasons.

Section 11346.5 of the Government Code is amended.

This act deleted the requirement that a state agency include in its initial statement of reasons the name and telephone number of an agency designee to respond to questions regarding the substance of a proposed adoption, amendment, or repeal of a regulation.

This act is effective January 1, 2003.

This act will not require any reports by the department to the Legislature.

Bureau Director

Roger Lackey for B.P.

Date

September 30, 2002